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UNION LABEL. GETTYSBURG LECTURE—Captain Long's lecture on Gettysburg will be given tonight at St. Luke's parish house.

CITY NOTES

COMMITTED TO JAIL—Daniel Brown was committed to the county jail for ten days yesterday by Alderman S. Davis of the Fifth ward, on the charge of drunkenness.

SUPPER TONIGHT—The ladies of the St. Luke's East End mission, corner Prescott avenue and Vine street, will serve a Washington's Birthday supper today from 6 to 9 p. m.

LECTURE TONIGHT—The Scranton Engineer's club will be addressed this evening by Professor Henry M. Lane, principal of the School of Metal Mining of the International Correspondence schools.

Free "Pianola" Recitals. The audience that gathered at Powell's Music Store yesterday afternoon to hear the first of the free recitals on the Pianola, enjoyed a rich treat.

Consumers Ice Co. Stock For-sale. R. E. Comerys, Dime Bank Building.

Dr. Keeley, of Gold Cure, Dead. Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 21.—Dr. Leslie E. Keeley, of gold cure fame, died suddenly at his winter home here recently from his home in Dwight, Ill.

LITTLE DAISY DAWSON.

Who Will Dance at Opening of Woolen Mills Stores. Every one should try and get down town Thursday, Friday and Saturday to the opening of the New Woolen Mills Store on Lackawanna avenue.



since then has won twenty-seven medals and over 100 other prizes. She never entered a contest even when but a mere babe that she did not take a prize.

The World's Fair awarded her the prize which made her champion of the world. She will dance sailor's hornpipes, Irish jigs and Highland fling.

ABANDONED NEWSPAPER WORK. C. W. Fetherolf to Take Charge of Engraving Plant.

C. W. Fetherolf, of the Herald reporting force, has resigned to accept a lucrative position with the S. J. Kelley Engraving company, of this city.

VISITING THE SEMINARY.

Committee of Clergymen Inspected the Institution Yesterday. The visiting committee of the Wyoming seminary yesterday, preparatory to preparing their annual report on that institution.

This morning at 10 o'clock will occur the annual contest for the George F. Nesbitt prize in oratory, by representatives of the literary societies.

The visiting committee is composed of Rev. A. J. Cook, Wyalusing; Rev. Egbert Kilpatrick, Cooperstown, N. Y.; Rev. Samuel Moore, D. D., Norwich, N. Y.; Rev. L. N. Steadman, Forest City; Rev. Wilson Treadwell, Wyoming; Rev. Henry Tucker, D. D., Binghamton, N. Y.; Mrs. Mina Blackman, Norwich, N. Y.; Mrs. Kate Elwell, Newark Valley, N. Y.; J. M. Jeffers, Montrose; Prof. R. H. Martin, Moscow; George K. Powell, Wilkes-Barre; G. L. Wilbur, esp., Oneonta, N. Y.

HIS HAND FRACTURED.

William Thorpe, of Linden Street, Injured by Horse's Kick. William Thorpe, of Linden street, a 12-year-old boy, yesterday afternoon walked into the Lackawanna hospital and requested treatment for his right hand, one of the bones of which was broken, owing to its just having been kicked by a horse.

He was crossing a crowded street when he slipped and before he could rise, a horse and wagon were upon him, and the animal kicking at his hand, broke the bone.

The boy was given attendance at the hospital, after which he left for his home.

CAUGHT UNDER FALL OF ROOF.

John O'Malley, of Warren Street, Injured in Cayuga Mine. While at work in the Cayuga mine yesterday noon, John O'Malley, of Warren street, was caught beneath a fall of roof and badly injured.

He was removed from beneath the debris and the Moses Taylor hospital was notified. The ambulance took O'Malley to the institution, where his injuries were examined.

It was ascertained that one of his legs was fractured and his entire body bruised and battered. He rested easily during the day.

WHAT THE MONEY IS TO BE USED FOR

SEWERS THAT ARE TO BE CONSTRUCTED BY CITY. Will Be of Great Advantage to All Most Every Part of the City. Thirty Thousand Dollars Is to Be Used in Building the Very Much Needed Overflow Sewer to Relieve the Ones Now Laid in Lackawanna Avenue and Linden Street.

The proposition to increase the city's indebtedness to the amount of \$273,205.80, for the payment of the city's share of the cost of the construction of certain sewers within the city limits, seems to have been approved, and it is interesting to note just where these sewers are located and what the first steps to be taken will be.

Table listing sewer systems and costs: System of sewers, Section B, Fifth district, First ward, \$4,972.50; System of sewers, Section C, Fifth sewer district, First ward, 1,870.00; System of sewers, Section D, Fifth sewer district, First ward, 5,564.55; Main sewer, Philo street, Providence road and North Main avenue, in Second ward, 17,200.00; System of sewers, south of Mulberry street and east of Schuylkill court, in the Seventeenth ward, 863.17; System of sewers in the Nineteenth district, in Fifth, Sixth, Fifteenth, Eighteenth and Nineteenth wards, 47,000.00; System of sewers in the Eighteenth ward, 555.00; System of sewers in the Sixth ward, 497.00; System of sewers in the Eighth ward, 483.13; System of sewers in the Sixteenth district, Fifth, Fifteenth and Eighteenth wards, 673.50; System of sewers in the Seventeenth district, Eleventh, Twelfth and Nineteenth wards, 22,963.75; System of sewers in the Eighteenth district, Twentieth ward, 45,000.00; Additional sewers in Seventeenth district, 15,000.00; Additional sewers in First and Third wards, 12,000.00; Additional sewers in Second and Twenty-first wards, 15,000.00; Additional sewers in Nineteenth district, 5,000.00; Additional sewers in Tenth ward, 10,000.00; Reconstructing old sewers in First sewer district, 12,000.00; Reconstructing old sewer sewer between Linden street, under Adams and Franklin avenues, 30,000.00; Reconstructing old sewer main, 4,000.00; Sewer basins in Fourteenth ward, 1,000.00.

THE GAME OF CHECKERS.

It Is Very Popular with the Local Police Officers. The game of checkers continues to exert a magical influence over the local police officers. Enter either the Centre street police station or the quarters in the city hall, at any time, and one is sure to see a couple of earnest looking officers hard at the game, and generally surrounded by a knot of joking, quizzing spectators, offering caustic suggestions or urging on their respective champions to victory.

THE FIRST MEETING.

Estimates Committee to Assemble Friday Night. The first meeting of the joint estimates committee of councils will be held on Friday evening at 8 o'clock, when the paring down of the estimates will be commenced.

THE SYMPHONY CONCERT.

Will Be One of the Best the Society Has Given. The symphony concert, which takes place next Monday evening, certainly will be one of the most delightful concerts that our splendid Scranton society will have given us.

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Try putting some of your urine in a glass tumbler, let it stand twenty-four hours in a cool, shady place, and if it is cloudy, milky appearance, your Kidneys are sick.

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By sending your address to the Dr. David Kennedy's Corporation, Rondout, N. Y., you will receive a free trial bottle, together with pamphlet of valuable medical advice, will be sent you free, postpaid by mail. Our readers can depend upon the genuineness of this offer.

ANDREW J. SMITH DEAD.

He Was a Member of the Lackawanna Bar and a Prominent Citizen of Waverly. Andrew J. Smith, a veteran member of the Lackawanna bar, died suddenly some time during Tuesday night, at his home in Waverly.

He and a young man named Albert Johnson, who had care of the Smith homestead, were alone in the house, the rest of the household being away on a visit. Mr. Smith was complaining during the night of feeling ill and retired at 7 o'clock. Along towards the middle of the night, young Johnson looked into his room and saw him lying on the floor near the bed. Thinking he had rolled out of bed while asleep, he was not much alarmed, and he attempted to raise him that he was dead. The body was cold and rigid. Dr. Mackey, who was hastily summoned, gave it as his opinion that death was due to heart disease.

Mr. Smith was born in Waverly over sixty years ago and resided all his life. He was a son of Thomas Smith, who had extensive land holdings in Old Forge, and as his heir came into a handsome income from coal royalties and land sales.

He was educated for the bar in a New York university and studied in Wilkes-Barre with several of the leading lawyers among the old time members of the Luzerne bar. He was admitted to practice in Luzerne and followed his profession with success for many years, but retired about ten years ago to his home in Waverly, which time he had been living quietly in the family homestead at Waverly.

His wife died twenty years ago. Two children who survive him, Mrs. Grace George and Thomas Smith live in London, Eng. His two sisters, Miss J. Smith of Waverly and Mrs. Clark, wife of Rev. Dr. Clark, of Orange university, Hamilton, N. Y., are spending the winter in Florida. A telegram sent to them yesterday morning brought a response last night that they were hastening back.

Until they arrive the funeral arrangements will not be made. It is expected, though, that they will be in charge of Waverly lodge of Masons, of which the deceased was a member.

Mr. Smith was an interesting character and a man possessed of rare ability. He was a member of the Democrat, but never took an active part in campaign work or sought office, except occasionally, some minor borough office, such as justice of the peace, councilman or the like.

Borough Sues Telegraph Company.

Another suit to recover license tax has been instituted by the Borough of Taylor against the Postal Telegraph company. In the statement filed yesterday by Solicitor John M. Harris, claim is made for \$220.50 with interest for tax assessed against the company's poles and wires in 1898 and 1899, for which demand has been made and payment refused.

In 1891, the borough passed an ordinance providing for a police inspection of all poles and wires on public highways or commons, within the borough limits, and fixing a yearly tax of \$1 on each pole and \$2.50 on each mile of wire.

The company opposed the collection of the tax on the ground that the borough had no authority to levy it, and the borough brought suit. The case was heard before Judge Gunster and a decision rendered in favor of the borough. From this an appeal was taken to the county court, but for obvious reasons was never prosecuted, being, first, continued and, finally, at the Scranton session, in January, discontinued.

Boroughs throughout the whole state closely watched the progress of the case intending to follow the example of Taylor in case an appellate court sustained the judgment obtained in the local court.

McGuinness Suit Discontinued.

Prothonotary Copeland, yesterday, received notice of the discontinuance of the damage suit instituted by Mary McGuinness against F. S. Godfrey, proprietor of Hotel Jerome.

Miss McGuinness was employed as a kitchen girl at the hotel and was badly burned by the explosion of a can of gasoline, while she and another girl, she holding the can and the other lighting the way with a candle, were engaged in exterminating cockroaches by pouring the fluid into crevices in the pantry.

Marriage Licenses.

Clarence E. Potter.....Scranton Mary Farrell.....Scranton Solomon Berzansky.....Scranton, N. Y. Anna Miller.....Syracuse, N. Y. Dr. Oram B. Richards.....Moosic Adda Davenport.....Florenceville John Haycock.....Wilkes-Barre Besse P. Vinnacomb.....Wilkes-Barre Michael McDonough.....3419 Cedar ave. Bridget Maloney.....Minooka

COST OF CONTEST IN EIGHTH WARD

CAREFUL ESTIMATE PLACES IT AT MORE THAN \$2,000. Commissioner Thayer and Stenographer McAndrew Have Already Earned \$500 and Are Now Engaged in Making Up the Report Which Will Call for Additional Fees of \$500—When It Is All Through We Will Know Who the Right Constable Is, Possibly.

Testimony in the Eighth ward contest over the office of constable, which has been in the last July, is now still in and yesterday Commissioner E. W. Thayer entered upon the work of making up his findings from the transcripts being furnished as fast as completed by the official stenographer, M. J. McAndrew.

The commissioner was for forty days engaged in taking testimony and during that time examined 250 witnesses. About fifty days will be required to make up the report.

When the contest is all over with the costs will figure up somewhere in the neighborhood of \$2,000. The probabilities are that it will be more.

Forty days, as stated before, were spent in taking testimony. The commissioner receives \$10 a day and the stenographer \$10. This calls for \$800 to start with. An allowance of \$10 per day is made for making up the report, and as this cannot well be done inside of fifty days, the commissioner will have another \$500 coming to him. Besides the \$10 a day allowed the stenographer for taking testimony, there is an allowance of so much per hundred words for transcribing, and at the lowest estimate this will figure up another \$400.

The 250 witnesses will get \$1 each, and the officers who summoned them will be allowed for their incidental expenses such as stationary, court costs and the like will make another \$100. All told the costs will not fall far short of \$2,200.

The county, of course, will be called upon to pay the expense no matter which side wins. This incidental expense the taxpayers' money is being spent to satisfy one John Walsh, Democrat, that he did or didn't have more votes for the office of constable in the Eighth ward, than did his Republican opponent, one W. H. Thomas, Attorney D. J. Reedy is attorney for the contestant, and John H. Edwards represents the respondent.

Pethick Desertion Case Heard.

Testimony in the desertion case of the commonwealth against Howard Pethick was taken yesterday before Willis S. Coston, to whom it was referred as commissioner. District Attorney John H. Jones appeared for the prosecution, and George L. Peck for the defense.

Mrs. Mamie S. Pethick, the prosecutrix, was examined at length and testified to some very sensational episodes, the most racy of which was that her husband gave her permission to go to New York with a relative of his, by whom he was employed, upon her agreeing to use her influence to secure for him a raise in salary. His salary was raised from \$75 to \$80 a month the very next pay day.

She also testified being locked out of Hotel Rudolph because of her husband's failure to pay for their board and lodging, and of having to regain possession of her personal belongings by letting them down with the aid of a rope from their room on the fourth floor of the hotel.

She stated that the manager of the Rudolph caused a policeman to arrest her when she persisted in gaining an entrance and that she spent a night in the police station as a result. The mayor, on hearing her story, in the morning, allowed her permission to go to Washington to make a disturbance, but denied that she had any male companions at the time. The defense also tried to show that she was present at the Nash because of disorderly conduct.

The hearing was continued a week to allow the prosecution to get further testimony.

CONVENTION CALLS.

Second Legislative District. Notice is hereby given to the Republican voters of the Second Legislative district that a primary election will be held for directly by the voters at the coming Republican state convention to be held in Harrisburg, and to nominate a candidate for the legislature. The convention will be held at the following places: Scranton, March 28, 1899, at 1 o'clock p. m. in the court house in Scranton. In accordance with the rules governing this district the voters at the polls. Each candidate must register with the election judge before the election or his name will not be placed in the official ballot, neither will any votes cast for him be counted.

The district vigilance committees in the various precincts will conduct the election and the result will be reported by the return judge to the district convention, which will be composed of the return judges of the various districts. A written notice containing further instructions will be sent to the members of the election judge.

Frederick W. Fleitz, Chairman. Attest: Walter E. Davis, Secretary.

Third Legislative District.

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the standing committee of the Republican party of the Third Legislative district of Lackawanna county, will be held at the Arbitration room, Court House, Scranton, Pa., on Saturday, the 23rd day of February, 1900, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of fixing time and place for holding the district convention and disposing of such other business as may properly be brought before it. The following comprise said committee:

Benton—George Freeman. Clifton—James O'Boyle. Covington—William C. Childrey. Dalton—A. Woodbridge. Glenburn—E. J. Northup. Gouldsboro—J. B. Gardner. Greenwood—Frank Kenyon. Lackawanna township, South district—David D. Griffiths.

Lackawanna township, East district—William J. Williams. Lackawanna township, Northeast district—Louis Reinhardt. Lackawanna township, West district (Gouldsboro)—John McTighe. Lackawanna township, Southwest district—E. P. Anderson. LaPlume—R. H. Holgate. Lehigh—Jacob Kridler. Madison—Eugene Noack. Newton—Oscar Van Baskirk. North Abington—Stephen Aylesworth. Old Forge township, First district—H. Willis Reese. Old Forge township, Second district—James Salmon. Old Forge township, Fourth district—William Bennett. Ransom, First district—Tobias Stein. Ransom, Second district—Geo. R. Wandell. Scott township—George Miller. Scranton, Sixth ward, Third district—W. B. Davis. South Abington—T. S. Parker. Spring Brook—T. J. Matthews. Taylor, First ward—John H. Evans. Taylor, Second ward—J. E. Watkins. Taylor, Third ward—John Freeman, Jr. Taylor, Fourth ward—James Price. Taylor, Fifth ward—John P. Thomas. Waverly—John W. Miller. West Abington—J. C. Northup. By order of the Chairman, T. J. Matthews. Attest: J. E. Watkins, Secretary. Scranton, Pa., Feb. 11, 1900.

A Card.

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